

REPORTED SPEECH

Time and Place

Task. Read the first sentence. Then complete the second sentence with the correct phrase.

1. "We can start the project now," the teacher said.

The teacher said that we could start the project _____.

2. "I'll finish it later today," she said.

She said that she would finish it later _____.

3. "I saw your brother yesterday afternoon," he told me.

He told me that he had see my brother _____.

4. "We're staying here tonight," they said.

They said that they were staying _____.

5. "I bought it yesterday," the customer said.

The customer said that he had bought it _____.

6. "We'll go there next week," she said.

She said that they would go there _____.

7. "I can't come today," Tom said.

Tom said that he couldn't come _____.

8. "We met here last year," they told us.

They told us that they had met _____.

9. "I have to leave now," she said.

She said that she had to leave _____.

10. "We'll finish the project tomorrow," the students said.

The students said that they would finish the project _____.

